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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)

In re Application of Jeffrey Kenneth Horton Application Number Og/027.654 February 23, 1998 February 23, 1998 For: IN-SITU CELL EXTRACTION AND ASSAY METHOD Group Art Unit 1641 Examiner Gailene R, Gabel This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): \[\text{ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))} \text{ \$ 110.00} \] Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ \$ 110.00 \[\text{ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))} \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Optional) 28911/34561/US				
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